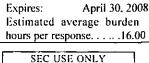
FORM D

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM D

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NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D.

SECTION 4(6), AND/OR UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

Name of Offering (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Cequent Pharmaceuticals, Inc Series A Convertible Preferred Stock Offering	SEC Mail Processing
Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Section 4(6) Type of Filing: New Filing Amendment	ULOE Section
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	UAN 2 9 4000
1. Enter the information requested about the issuer	A44
Name of Issuer (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Cequent Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	Washington, DC 101
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) One Kendall Square, Building 700, First Floor, Cambridge, MA 02139	Telephone Number (Including Area Code) 617-995-7940
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices)	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
Brief Description of Business	
Biotechnology research and development. Type of Business Organization	PROCESSED
	JAN 3 1 2008
Month Year Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization: 1 1 0 3 ■ Actual Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State: CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)	THOMSON FINANCIAL

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C.

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where To File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predictated on the filing of a federal notice.

			A. BASIC IDI	ENTII	FICATION DATA				
2. Enter the information req	uested for the fol	lowing:							
Each promoter of th	e issuer, if the iss	uer has bee	en organized w	ithin 1	the past five years;				
 Each beneficial own 	• Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer.								
 Each executive office 	er and director of	f corporate	issucrs and of	corpo	rate general and man	aging	partners of	partne	ership issuers; and
 Each general and ma 	anaging partner o	f partnershi	p issuers.						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	■ Bene	ficial Owner	×	Executive Officer	×	Director	П	Manager
		_				_		_	
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
Parker, Peter D.									
Business or Residence Address	s (Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ode)					
c/o Cequent Pharmaceutic	als, Inc., One I	Kendall S	quare, Buildi	ing 70	00, First Floor, Ca	mbri	dge, MA	02139)
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	■ Bene	ficial Owner	×	Executive Officer	×	Director		Manager
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)		<u></u>						
Li, Chiang									
Business or Residence Address	s (Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ide)					
c/o Cequent Pharmaceutic	als, Inc., One I	Kendall So	quare, Buildi	ing 70	00, First Floor, Ca	mbri	dge, MA (02139	
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	■ Bene	ficial Owner		Executive Officer		Director		Manager
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
Estate of Samuel K. Acke	rman						•		
Business or Residence Address	(Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ide)					
c/o Margaret Ackerman, 1	75 Kings Gran	t Road, W	eston, MA	0249:	3				
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Bene	ficial Owner		Executive Officer		Director		Manager
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
Beth Israel Deaconess Me	dical Center								•
Business or Residence Address	(Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ode)					
330 Brookline Avenue, Be	oston, MA 022	15							
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	■ Bene	ficial Owner		Executive Officer		Director		General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
Ampersand 2006 Limited	Partnership								
Business or Residence Address	(Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ode)					
55 William Street, Suite 24	40, Wellesley,	MA 0248	1						
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	x Bene	ficial Owner		Executive Officer		Director		General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
New England Partners Cap	pital, L.P.								
Business or Residence Address	(Number and	Street, City	, State, Zip Co	ode)					
One Boston Place, Suite 3	630, Boston, M	1A 02108							
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	* Bene	ficial Owner		Executive Officer		Director		General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)								
Nexus Medical Partners II		R							
Business or Residence Address			, State, Zip Co	de)					
One Boston Place, Suite 3		-	•						
,			copy and use	additi	onal copies of this sh	ect, a	s necessary)	

A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA		
2. Enter the information requested for the following:		
• Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;		
Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition	of, 10% or more of	a class of equity securities of the issuer.
Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and man	naging partners of p	partnership issuers; and
Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers.		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
A.M. Pappas Life Science Ventures III, LP		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		
2520 Meridian Parkway, Suite 400, Durham, NC 27713		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	■ Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
Hooper, Herbert H.		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		
c/o Ampersand Ventures, 55 William Street, Suite 240, Wellesley, MA 02481		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	■ Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
Linsley, Eric		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)	·	
c/o A.M. Pappas Life Science Ventures III, LP, 2520 Meridian Parkway, Suite 400, I	Durham, NC 277	13
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	■ Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
Tregay, Steven		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		
c/o Novartis BioVentures Ltd., One Cambridge Center, Cambridge, MA 02139		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)	_	
Novartis BioVentures Ltd.		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		
Hurst Holme, 12 Trott Road, Hamilton HM 11, Bermuda		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	Director	General and/or
Executive Officer	- Director	Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)		
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)		

	B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING													
1.	2								Yes	No •				
-	Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.									\$ N/A				
2.	2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?										Yes	No No		
3.	Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?										×			
4.	4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.													
		Last name	first, if ind	ividual)				···						
N/ Bus		Residence	Address (N	umber and	d Street, C	ity, State, 2	(ip Code)							
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Nai	me of Ass	sociated Br	oker or De	aler										
Sta	tes in Wh	ich Person	Listed Has	Solicited	or Intends	to Solicit	Purchasers					·		
	(Check	"All States	or check	individual	States)		•••••					☐ All States		
	AL IL MT	AK IN NE SC	IA NV SD	AR KS NH TN	CA KY NJ TX	CO LA NM UT	CT ME NY VT	DE MD NC VA	DC MA ND WA	FL MI OH WV	GA MN OK WI	MS OR WY	MO PA PR	
Ful	Full Name (Last name first, if individual)													
Bus	siness or	Residence	Address ()	Number an	d Street, C	ity, State,	Zip Code)			<u> </u>			. <u> </u>	
Nai	me of Ass	sociated Br	oker or De	aler					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
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	(Check	"All States	" or check	individual	States)			*************	***************************************	*************	***************************************	□ VI	l States	
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Ful	l Name (l	Last name	first, if indi	ividual)						_				
Bus	Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)													
Name of Associated Broker or Dealer														
States in Which Person Listed Has Solicited or Intends to Solicit Purchasers														
(Check "All States" or check individual States)														
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

1.	sold. Enter "0" if the answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.			
	Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price		Amount Already Sold
	Debt	\$	_	\$
	Equity	<u>4,500,000</u>	_	<u>\$ 4,500,000</u>
	☐ Common 🗷 Preferred			
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$	_	\$
	Partnership Interests	\$		\$
	Other (Specify)	\$		\$
	Total	4,500,000		\$_4,500,000*
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.			
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."			Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases
	Accredited Investors			s 4,500,000
	Non-accredited Investors		_	\$ 0
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)	•	_	
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4. if filing under ULOE.		-	\$
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C — Question 1.			
	Type of Offering	Type of Security		Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505			\$
	Regulation A			\$
	Rule 504			\$
	Total		-	S
4	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the insurer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.			
	Transfer Agent's Fees]	\$
	Printing and Engraving Costs]	\$
	Legal Fees		- -	\$ 30,000
	Accounting Fees		_	\$
	Engineering Fees	_	_	\$
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)	_	_]	\$
	Other Expenses (identify)	Г]	\$
	Total		- 1	§ 30,000

*\$1,500,000 of this amount was sold to an investor domiciled outside the United States.

	C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBI	ER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PI	ROCEEDS	
	b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offerin and total expenses furnished in response to Part C — Q proceeds to the issuer."	Duestion 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross		\$ \$4,470,000
5.	Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceach of the purposes shown. If the amount for any check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of t proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C	purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and he payments listed must equal the adjusted gross		
			Payments to Officers. Directors, & Affiliates	Payments to Others
	Salaries and fees	-		-
	Purchase of real estate		\$. 🗆 \$
	Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of mach and equipment	inery	٦\$	□\$
	Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facil	-		_
	Acquisition of other businesses (including the value offering that may be used in exchange for the assets issuer pursuant to a merger)	s or securities of another	7 (
	Repayment of indebtedness	_		_
	Working capital		-	
	Other (specify):			
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] \$. 🗆 \$
	Column Totals]\$	w S_4,470,000
	Total Payments Listed (column totals added)		■ \$ <u>4</u>	470,000
		D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE		
ig	sissuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the unature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furn information furnished by the issuer to any non-accre	ish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commiss	ion, upon writte	
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	quent Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	Veter 1) Parken	1/22/0	8
		Title of Signer (Print or Type)		<u> </u>
Рe	ter D. Parker	President		
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- ATTENTION -

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)